

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:	
Kentoku YAMAGUCHI et al.) Group Art Unit: 2683
Application No.: 09/665,687) Examiner: Brandon J. Miller
Filed: September 20, 2000))
For: COMMUNICATION TERMINAL AND CHANNEL CONNECTION) Confirmation No.: 9847

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

Concurrent with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith and in furtherance of the Notice of Appeal filed in January 24, 2005, replying to the final Office Action mailed July 22, 2004, the period of response to which had been extended to January 24, 2005 (January 22 being a Saturday) by three month extension of time and payment of fee filed therewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.